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PAVING ON STATE ROUTE 62

San Bernardino County – Caltrans will begin a paving project on State Route 62 (SR-62) on Monday, August 20. The work will take place from Ironage Road to State Route 177 (SR-177) in the San Bernardino County area east of Twenty Nine Palms.

The work hours are Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to approximately 5:00 p.m. Reversible traffic control with flagging will take place for up to two-mile increments during the work hours. The route will be open in both directions during non-work hours. The project is expected to be complete by the end of summer 2007.

Minor delays during the flagging may be expected for up to fifteen minutes.

<u>Detour: Motorists may use Route 95 from Interstate 10 (I-10) to bypass SR-62 when traveling to the Arizona State Line.</u>

With hot weather on the horizon please be prepared. Make sure you bring water and that your vehicle is in good running condition. Be patient, relax, and merge early. Slow down and be aware that most injuries and deaths in the "cone zone" are from rear-end collisions.

For information on other Caltrans roadwork, please go to our website at <u>caltrans8.info</u>.

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